

OFFICIAL Proposer Comments/Questions and Responses
CMS Net Application Technical Support and Maintenance Services (ATS&MS)
(RFO 12-89349)

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1	N/A	General			Is the RFO for newly required services for DHCS, or is there currently a vendor performing these services? If there is currently a vendor, please identify who the current vendor is.	This RFO is for ongoing services and the current vendor is Infinite Solutions, Inc. (ISI)
2	N/A	Attachment 1 – Scope of Work	O	5	Can you provide a history of the staffing for the project? In other words, the size of the staff that ISI has had on the project over time.	Currently there are 9 resources matching the staffing levels recommended in the Scope of Work.
3	N/A	General			How long has ISI been performing these services for DHCS?	24 Months.
4	N/A	General			Is it the opinion of DHCS that ISI has been performing these services in a satisfactory manner?	Yes
5	N/A	Attachment 1	O	5	In section 5.0 of Attachment 1, you recommend three developers familiar with "browser based technology." Can you be more specific as to the technologies currently in use (e.g. - .NET, Java, AJAX, etc.)?	Java 2 Platform, Enterprise Edition (J2EE)
6	N/A				Can you please provide a description and diagram of the current system architecture?	See CMSNet_Network_and_App_RFP.pdf posted on RFO Webpage
7	N/A				What technologies form the basis of the legacy system?	AIX, Intersystems Cache Database, MUMPs code
8	N/A				What was the volume of CMS Net help desk calls received last year?	We receive approximately 12-14K calls/year.
9	N/A				What is the current version control system used to maintain the CMS Net code?	Serena Dimensions Express

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10	N/A				How many environments are currently maintained for the project (e.g. Development, Test, Production,)?	4 - Production, Development, Test and Training
11	N/A				Is there an existing set of roles/responsibilities or a project organization chart that shows the responsibilities of DHCS and contractor staff as it pertains to system administration activities?	It is a team effort between State, State Data Center staff and the Contractor. We don't have anything specifically defining roles but the effort is approximately 75% State and 25% Contractor with the Contractor portion mostly related to the administration of MUMPs code within the database.
12	N/A				Can you provide a process summary or additional details around the monthly change cycle tasks?	See Release Management Plan v4.2.doc posted on RFO Webpage
13	N/A				Can you grant an extension to the RFO submission due date?	No, extension of the offer submission date would delay execution of the contract by May 1 st , 2012 and place the Department at considerable risk if there were gaps in support of a mission critical system.
14	N/A				Will you consider subcontractor references as acceptable?	Yes